

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior listings:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device comprising the steps of [[,]]:

providing at least one organic layer between a first electrode and a second electrode[[,]];

~~layers having light emission regions patterned on a pixel basis, wherein at least~~

forming at least one of said organic layers having said light emission regions is formed

~~by forming~~ by supplying a coating liquid onto a silicone blanket from the bottom side thereof

~~via a gravure roll whose edges are tapered in the axial direction at both ends such that a coating~~

~~film comprised of a~~the ~~coating liquid containing a constituent material of said layer is provided~~

~~on a surface of a~~the ~~silicone blanket with substantially the same thickness throughout a pixel-~~

forming-area[[,]]; then

pressing a relief printing plate against said coating film[[,]];

transferring and removing said coating film at the pressed areas from said silicon blanket onto said~~a~~ relief printing plate[[,]]; and

transferring a pattern composed of said coating film ~~left~~ remaining on said surface of said silicone blanket onto a surface to be provided thereon with said layer, ~~and~~

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via a gravure roll provided with a gravure pattern.~~

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device comprising the steps of[[,]]:

providing at least one organic layer between a first electrode and a second electrode; ;
~~layers having light emission regions patterned on a pixel basis, wherein~~

forming at least one of said organic layers having said light emission regions is formed
by forming ~~by supplying a coating liquid onto a silicone blanket from the bottom side thereof~~
~~via a slit provided in parallel to the rotational axis of said silicone blanket a coating film~~
~~comprised of a coating liquid containing a constituent material of said layer on a surface of a~~
~~silicone blanket~~[,]]; then

pressing a relief printing plate against said coating film[,]];

transferring and removing said coating film at the pressed portions from said silicone
blanket onto ~~said~~a relief printing plate[,]]; and

transferring a pattern composed of said coating film ~~left~~ remaining on said surface of said
silicone blanket onto a surface to be provided thereon with said layer, ~~and~~

wherein,

said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates against each other with a spacing
therebetween, and

said top faces of said two flat plates are slant surfaces with a downward gradient
from the central portion side toward the end portion sides of the rotational axis of said
silicone blanket

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket~~
~~from the lower side thereof via a slit provided in parallel to the rotational axis of said~~
~~silicone blanket.~~

4. (Currently Amended) The method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence
device as set forth in claim 3, wherein:

~~said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates to each other with a spacing therebetween, and~~

~~totally closing the gaps between the left and right end portions of said flat plates are closed, and~~

~~the spacing between said surface of said silicone blanket and the top faces of said two flat plates is uniform at a slit portion corresponding to an effective pixel forming area of said silicone blanket[[],]~~

~~whereas said top faces of said two flat plates are slant surfaces with a downward gradient from the central portion side toward end portion sides of the rotational axis of said silicone blanket at slit portions corresponding to non-pixel forming areas present on both sides of said effective pixel forming area of said silicone blanket, and~~

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via said slit.~~

5. (Currently Amended) The method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device as set forth in claim 3, wherein:

~~said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates to each other with a spacing therebetween,~~

~~opening the upper half portions of gaps between the left and right end portions of said flat plates are open, and~~

~~closing the lower half portions of said gaps[[],] are closed and said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via said slit.~~